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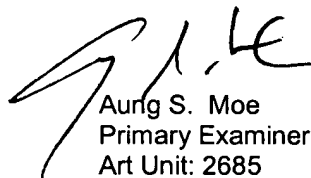
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Commissioner for Patents**CONSIDERATION OF IDS STATEMENT**

The information disclosure statement submitted on September 02, 2005 was filed after the mailing date of Notice of Allowance on 7/01/2005. The submission fails to comply with 37 CFR 1.97(d) because it lacks a statement as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e). Accordingly, it has been placed in the application file, but the information referred to therein has not been considered (see MPEP 609.04(b)III).



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